

Report for 2001NY1861B: Director's Office Information Transfer

There are no reported publications resulting from this project.

Report Follows:

Over the past year WRI has continued to promote specifically the engagement of the wider academic community in water resource management issues in New York State. As in previous years, opportunities to pursue this aim were sought through the New York State Soil and Water Conservation Committee, the New York State Agricultural Environmental Management Committee, and the New York State Non point Source Management Coordinating Committee. With the encouragement of the three committees, WRI promoted and advanced a proposal to create a NYS Academic partnership with the inter-agency NYS Soil & Water Conservation Committee. This proposal was approved and instituted by the Committee. WRI Also promoted the idea of creating a student internship program. This was also approved by the Committee and is being pursued on a pilot basis by some Soil & Water Conservation Districts. The NYS Soil and Water Conservation Committee has now formally invited universities and colleges to form a partnership with the committee, and its member state agencies in shared research and educational ventures.